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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re	Application Of:)
	Farley, et al.) Group Art Unit: 3763) Examiner: C. Rodriguez
Serial	No.: 09/483,969)))
Filed:	January 18, 2000	Our Docket No. VNUS-53427
For:	METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR VENOUS INSUFFICIENCY USING DIRECTIONALLY APPLIED ENERGY) Date: November 25, 2002 RECEIVED DEC - 4 2002
	PETITION FOR EX	TECHNOLOGY CENTER R3700

<u>PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME</u>

Commissioner For Patents Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Applicants respectfully request a three-month extension of time within which to respond to the Office Action mailed on May 24, 2002, A check for \$460.00 to cover the extension fee (small entity) is enclosed.

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